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Continuation Application Transmittal Letter

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/314,855, filed 12 March 1999, of inventors:

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Enclosed with the application are:

1. Application (43 sheets), Drawings (9 sheets),
2. Copy of the Declaration of McIntosh et al (executed – 2 sheets) as filed in the parent application;
3. Preliminary Amendment;
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